the county examiner or the city superintendent, in testimony of their scholastic proficiency, and shall also file a written declaration that their object in obtaining admission is to qualify themselves as public school teachers, and that it is their intention to engage in the profession of teaching within the state; and in case any students shall fail to fulfil the condition upon which they were admitted, they shall forfeit and pay thirty dollars for each session they have attended the normal school, to be collected as other debts are collected, and to be applied for the benefit of the normal school. If there be not applicants sufficient from any county or the city, then the board of state school commissioners may fill all vacancies, by selecting appli- Vacancies. cants possessing the requisite qualifications, from any other portion of the state, in the proportion aforesaid.

6. In addition to the students admitted from the Additional stucounties and the city of Baltimore, who shall enjoy all dents. the privileges of the school, and be furnished with the use of the text books free of charge, there may be admitted, in the proportion of one to two of the scholars selected by the board of city and county school commissioners, other persons having the requisite qualifications, who shall pay the sum of twenty-five dollars per session, and purchase their own text books, and be subject in every respect to the same rules and regulations as the other students; provided, that the number Proviso, of students sent by the state shall not exceed two hundred, and as long as this number is not exceeded by the state, or after it shall have been reached by the state, all remaining vacancies may be filled by pay scholars to the full capacity of the school.

7. The board of state school commissioners shall course of study prescribe the course of study, and supervise the school in every particular not provided for in this law; they shall make provision for model and experimental primary and grammar schools, under qualified teachers, in which the students of the normal school shall have opportunity to practice the modes of instruction and discipline inculcated in the normal school. The salary of

